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To Mr Whitney H Shepardson

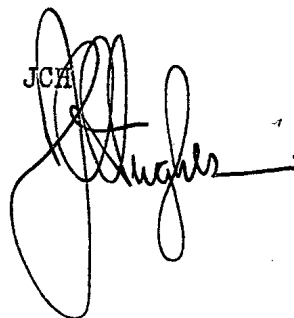
From John C Hughes

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This will confirm my telephone conversation with you this morning, when you were in Colonel Buxton's office. I attach herewith memorandum from Dolbeare to me, which he wrote after seeing Mrs Guepin early this morning.

I assume that you will have someone get in touch with Mr Travers of the State Department so that we can assist in the question of identification and impress upon Travers the urgency of acting on this matter promptly. Also, as pointed out in Dolbeare's memorandum, I hope that any cables sent to Stockholm, or any plans for this man's transportation will be handled with the greatest care. It would seem to us that the man in question should be transported to London as quickly as possible in order that our people there may have the advantage of his up-to-date information. As to whether it may be advisable to inform General Donovan of this situation, I am sure of course, that you and Colonel Buxton will take this under consideration and act as you think best.

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